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tinued American occupation of Vera Cruz.

Antonio Villarreal, governor of the state of Nuevo Leon, who has just left here for Monterrey, telegraphed to Villa before striking as follows:

"Let us not drown the ideals of the revolution in human blood, nor ferment irreparable division through discord. Let us pacify the country and return to reason."

It is understood President Wilson and Secretary Garrison have not yet considered the possible effect of the Villa revolt on the American evacuation and as Mr. Garrison plans to leave Washington today for the week end, it is probable the question will not be taken up until the cabinet meeting Tuesday. As there are so many questions to be settled, officials take the view that there is no occasion for a hasty decision concerning the troops.

General Funston in a report today confirmed news of the cutting of rail and wire communication between Vera Cruz and Mexico City. He added that it was not known whether the constitutionalists along the railroad were fighting among themselves or whether the work of destruction was by former federal soldiers.

An American officer on the Arizona frontier, in a report today, described the manner of Villa's proclamation of independence. He said a notice declaring the concentration of Villa's forces for a march on Mexico City was written in chalk on a blackboard in front of the Nogales custom office by persons unknown.

Official advisors added little to the information of the Washington government on the future trend of events in Mexico.

General Villa sent word that no matter what eventuated he would afford every protection to all Americans and foreigners.

His headquarters at Chihuahua were described as scenes of much animation with the feeling general that a movement of troops southward was in prospect. Preparation for the expedition was proceeding rapidly.

American Consul Canada reported the interruption in communications with Mexico City and advised the keeping of American forces in Vera Cruz until telegraph and railway lines were repaired and the situation relieved of its unrest.

Reports from American consuls in Sonora said no fighting was imminent, though Governor Mayorena has circulated proclamations throughout the state declaring it independent of Carranza.

BATTLE IMPENDS ALONG VERA CRUZ RAILROAD

Vera Cruz, Mex., Sept. 25.—The constitutionalists strong sent out to the north of Vera Cruz to check the supposed revolutionary movement under Higinio Aguirre, are today reported to have entered the mountains below Alita Liza, where this former federal general and his forces were last seen and where he appeared to be awaiting attack. Aguirre was supposed to be moving toward Vera Cruz yesterday, driving out a post of 25 men, eight of whom were killed.

Telegraphic communication with Mexico City, destroyed yesterday by Aguirre was restored today.

The American transport Kippbrick has arrived here.

SAN ANTONIO HEARS OF A BOARD OF MEDIATION

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 25.—Telegraphic dispatches received here by Samuel Belden, legal representative for General Carranza from H. V. Pesquera, now in the City of Mexico, announced that, following a conference there today, a board of military chiefs has been appointed to mediate the grievances between the constitutionalists and the division of the north commanded by General Villa.

CAROTHERS LEAVES FOR CHIHUAHUA TO SEE VILLA

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—George C. Carothers, special agent of the state department, left today for Chihuahua City, where he will confer with General Villa, who has announced openly his independence from the Carranza central government. It was understood that Carothers would investigate and report the fate of General Alvaro Obregon, whose arrest by Villa was one of the prime factors in the

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FRANCE BRINGS NEW CHARGES AGAINST GERMANS

French Ambassador Presents to Washington Government Substance of Ten Documents Alleging Atrocities.

ALLEGES AN ORGANIZED SYSTEM OF BRIGANDAGE

Declared German Officers Deliberately Order Forces to Violate Most Important Texts of Hague Convention.

Washington, Sept. 25.—The French ambassador Jules Jusserand made public today the summary of ten documents drawn up by various officials accusing the German soldiers of a systematic campaign of atrocities. The documents, which were placed in the hands of Acting Secretary Lansing, of the state department, by the ambassador were also delivered to all signatories of The Hague convention.

The statement made public by the French ambassador is as follows:

"By order of the government of the French republic, a series of official reports as to the way in which the present war is being carried on in the French territory by German troops have been communicated to the powers who signed The Hague convention, the United States being one of them.

"These documents, ten in number, show that the destructions and assassinations which have taken place have been performed in accordance with orders from the officers and not as the result of an accidental lack of discipline.

"The facts quoted are given only as samples and not as complete enumeration; they cover, moreover, only the first three weeks after the beginning of hostilities (two weeks of actual warfare), and worse deeds have been committed since.

"Such as they are, they show, among other things, that wounded soldiers have been finished in large numbers by shots fired right against the face of the wounded; that Pont-a-Mousson, an open and undefended town, was bombarded, the hospital, which is an historical building, having especially suffered; a number of villages, among them Paray and Ablee, have been methodically destroyed.

MAN RESPONSIBLE FOR APPLYING MATCH DEAD

Tankavitch, Held Guilty of Arousing Servia, Reported Killed on Field of Battle Near Krupagne.

London, Sept. 25 (2:15 p. m.)—The Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says that Major Boja Tankavitch, to whose intrigues the source of the present war was traceable, has, according to a Vienna dispatch, been found dead by Austrians near Krupagne, where he commanded a battery of artillery in recent battle.

Major Tankavitch was formerly charged by the Austrian government with supplying from the Servian armament the revolvers with which the Archduke Franz Ferdinand and his wife, the Princess of Hohenberg, were assassinated at Sarajevo, the Bosnian capital.

REPUBLICAN FIGHT ON REVENUE BILL GOES ON IN HOUSE

Smoot Makes Sugar Tariff Speech While Senate Works on Detail of Finance Bill. Rivers Bill to Pass.

Washington, Sept. 25.—Debate on the war revenue bill proceeded today in both branches of congress.

In the house Republican Leader Manu led the fight on it with a speech in which he characterized it as unnecessary, charged that it demand for more taxation was hysterical and that the administration was "excited."

In the senate the finance committee continued work on the bill and in the chamber Senator Smoot made a speech on the effect of the sugar rates of the new tariff on the beet sugar industry.

MRS. WILSON'S BILL FINALLY BECOMES A LAW TODAY

Washington, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson's dying wish that the worst stigma in Washington be abolished, was finally realized today when the president signed the bill clearing allers of dwelling places. On her deathbed Mrs. Wilson expressed the hope that the bill would be passed and both houses of congress acted.

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GROSE ALSO GETS LIFE SENTENCE UNDER CHARGE OF MURDER

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Found guilty of first degree murder, Lemm Grose was today sentenced to life imprisonment after George McDonald, a life prisoner in the penitentiary, had sworn that he alone killed Max Newman, a merchant, who was beaten to death in his store here last April. McDonald and Grose were both charged with the crime. The former was found guilty and sentenced several months ago.

The prosecution had relied upon McDonald's testimony to secure a death sentence for Grose. McDonald in the eleventh hour repudiated a confession in which he accused Grose of being the perpetrator on the crime. It was this change in McDonald's testimony that saved Grose from the gallows, it is believed.

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